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THIS REPORT INCLUDES THE FOLLOWING COUNTRIES: EGYPT, [ ]  
JORDAN, LEBANON, SAUDI ARABIA, AND SYRIA.

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION HAS BEEN REPORTED:

EGYPT:

Declassification Review by NGA/DoD

1. ABU SUWEIR AIRFIELD: 18 PROBABLE FRESCO, 8 PROBABLE FAGOT.
2. BILBEIS AIRFIELD: 36 T-6 TYPE, ESTIMATED 40 POSSIBLE AIRCRAFT CRATES.
3. CAIRO ALMAZA AIRFIELD: 14 FRESCO, 6 FAGOT, 26 CRATES, 4 FAGOT/FRESCO, 2 HOUND, 1 BEAGLE, 16 TRAINER/LIAISON, 2 MULTI-ENGINE UNIDENTIFIED AIRCRAFT, 1 4 ENGINE UNIDENTIFIED AIRCRAFT.
4. CAIRO INTERNATIONAL AIRFIELD: 14 C-47, 1 VISCOUNT, 1 CONSTELLATION, 2 LIAISON, 1 UNIDENTIFIED TWIN ENGINE, 1 CRATE, 1 4 ENGINE UNIDENTIFIED AIRCRAFT.
5. CAIRO WEST AIRFIELD: 26 BEAGLE, 3 FRESCO, 4 FAGOT.
6. DEKHEILA AIRFIELD: 3 CRATE.

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7. EL ARISH AIRFIELD: 1 C-47.
8. FAYID AIRFIELD: 1 POSSIBLE VAPIRE, 2 HOUNDS, 3 UNIDENTIFIED AIRCRAFT.
9. INCHAS AIRFIELD: 18 BEAGLE, 12 FAGOT/FRESCO, 13 FRESCO.
10. KABRIT AIRFIELD: 6 FAGOT, 19 FRESCO, 8 FAGOT/FRESCO, 1 PROBABLE FEATHER MAGNET, 1 UNIDENTIFIED POSSIBLE SINGLE ENGINE AIRCRAFT.
11. MANSURAH AIRFIELD: AT LEAST 7 FRESCO, 1 FAGOT FRESCO. INCOMPLETE INFORMATION.
12. SHALLUFA AIRFIELD: AT LEAST 7 FRESCO, 1 FAGOT/FRESCO.
13. THE FOLLOWING AIRFIELDS REPORT NO AIRCRAFT OR ACTIVITY: ALEXANDRIA, BALLAH, BASSAN DILA, BILBEIS NO2, BIR HAMMA, DVERSOIR, EL FIRDAN, FAIYUM ROAD, GAZA, GEBEL LIBNI (CONSTRUCTION CONTINUES), HELWAN, ISMAILIA, KASFAREET, PORT SAID GAMIL, QUWEISNA, RAS UMM SIDD, SUDR.
14. ALEXANDRIA MUSTAFA PASHA BARRACKS: APPROXIMATELY 45 VEHICLES, 4 GUN AAA NORTH END OF MOLE OCCUPIED.

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15. ALEXANDRIA HARBOR: 5 "W" CLASS SS, 1 M CLASS SS, 1  
SKORYY CLASS DD, 1 POSSIBLE SKORYY CLASS DD, 2 PF, 2 POSSIBLE  
PF, 5 PC, 3 POSSIBLE PC, 2 POSSIBLE MINESWEEPERS, 5 TANKER, 22  
FREIGHT CARGO, 1 YACHT, 4 BARGE, 9 LIGHTER, NUMEROUS SMALL CRAFT.

16. ABU QIR MILITARY CAMP: AT LEAST 55 VEHICLES, NO ACTIVITY  
ON FIRING RANGE. INCOMPLETE INFORMATION.

17. AHRAM AL JIZAH MILITARY CAMP: PROBABLY NO SIGNIFICANT CHANGE  
SINCE [REDACTED] INCOMPLETE INFORMATION.

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18. AL HARRANYAH MILITARY CAMP: 4 POSSIBLE TANKS, APPROXIMATELY  
60 VEHICLES, APPROXIMATELY 45 TENTS.

19. AL ARISH MILITARY CAMP: 4 POSSIBLE TANKS, 30 TRUCKS, 36  
VEHICLES.

20. EL MALAQA MILITARY CAMPS: 10 VEHICLES, APPROXIMATELY 100  
TENTS. THE LARGE NUMBER OF TENTS AND VEHICLES REPORTED [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] PROBABLY IN ERROR.

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21. AL QANTARA MILITARY INSTALLATION: NO INFORMATION AVAILABLE.

22. JABAL UMM TABAQ MILITARY INSTALLATION: ESTIMATED 120  
VEHICLES, MODERATE AMOUNT OF OPEN STORAGE.

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23. KASFAREET MILITARY CAMP: NO SIGNIFICANT CHANGE SINCE

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24. KIRDASAH MILITARY CAMP: APPROXIMATELY 40 VEHICLES,  
APPROXIMATELY 90 TENTS.

25. MAHATTAT EL BALLAH BARRACKS: PROBABLY NO CHANGE SINCE

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26. MILITARY CAMP EAST ACROSS THE CANAL FROM SHALLUFUA AIRFIELD:  
36 VEHICLES, 30 TENTS, 6 TRUCKS, POSSIBLE PONTON BRIDGE UNDER  
CONSTRUCTION ON WEST OF CANAL, ONE SECTION EXTENDED.

27. MILITARY CAMP SOUTH OF CAIRO ALMAZA AIRFIELD: 552 TENTS,  
276 VEHICLES.

28. MILITARY CAMP 7 NM SOUTH SOUTHWEST OF KHAN YUNIS:  
APPROXIMATELY 45 VEHICLES, 80 TENTS.

29. MILITARY CAMP WEST OF BEVERSOIR AIRFIELD: 5 TANKS, 3  
TRUCKS, 2 VEHICLES, 7 POSSIBLE FIELD ARTILLERY, UNIDENTIFIED  
OPEN STORAGE IN AMMO STORAGE AREA NORTH OF CAMP.

30. MILITARY INSTALLATION AT CAIRO HELIOPOLIS: ESTIMATED  
140 VEHICLES, ESTIMATED 65 TRUCKS, 5 POSSIBLE TANKS.

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31. MILITARY INSTALLATION NORTHEAST OF CAIRO INTERNATIONAL AIRFIELD:

ESTIMATED 840 TENTS, ESTIMATED 200 VEHICLES, 15 TRUCKS, 8  
POSSIBLE TANKS.

32. MILITARY INSTALLATION SOUTHEAST OF FAYID AIRFIELD: VEHICLE AND  
TENT COUNT APPROXIMATELY AS REPORTED IN [REDACTED]  
LARGE AMOUNT OF UNIDENTIFIED OPEN STORAGE.

33. MILITARY STORAGE AREA 2953N, 3118E: 50 RAILROAD CARS,  
25 VEHICLES, UNIDENTIFIED OPEN STORAGE.

34. PORT SAID CITY AND HARBOR AREA: 11 TANKER, 7 FREIGHTER,  
1 POSSIBLE PC, 2 LCT TYPE, 4 POSSIBLE PT, NUMEROUS SMALL CRAFT.

35. ROAD BETWEEN ISMAILIA AND EL AUJA: 6 VEHICLES IN CONVOY  
NEAR BIR HAMA AIRFIELD HEADED TOWARD EL AUJA; 5 TRUCKS STOPPED  
ALONGSIDE SMALL TENT CAMP (10 TENTS) NEAR BIR HAMMA AIRFIELD:

36. SUEZ ARMY BARRACKS NORTHWEST: 90 PROBABLE TRUCKS, 21 FREIGHTER,  
1 PASSENGER CARGO.

37. SUEZ CANAL FROM SUEZ TO PORT SAID: 35 TANKER, 21 FREIGHTER,  
1 PASSENGER/CARGO.

38. SUEZ HARBOR AND CITY AREA: 5 TANKER, 2 POSSIBLE PT, NUMEROUS  
SMALL CRFT, ALL FIVE PREVIOUSLY REPORTED AA POSITIONS PROBABLY  
OCCUPIED. CITY AREA NORMAL.

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39. NO UNUSUAL ACTIVITY REPORTED AT THE FOLLOWING INSTALLATIONS  
AND AREAS: AREA FROM 3100N. 2600E TO 3040N 3100E BEACHES AT 3117N 3000E  
AND 3127N 3140E CAIRO CITY AREA; AL ARISH TO QUSAIMA ROAD;  
EL QANTARA TO DEVERSOIR; GAZA STRIP FROM RAFAH TO GAZA; ISMAILIA  
EL AUJA ROAD; ISMAILIA MILITARY CAMP EAST; ISMAILIA MILITARY CAMP  
EAST ACROSS THE CANAL; ISMAILIA MILITARY INSTALLATION WEST;  
STORAGE AREA NORTHEAST OF ISMAILIA AIRFIELD.

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JORDAN:

59. AQABA AIRFIELD: NO AIRCRAFT, 15 TENTS.

60. AQABA CITY AND HARBOR AREA: 4 FREIGHTER, 1 BRITISH  
TYPE LCT, 145 TRUCKS, 27 TENTS, 30 VEHICLES.

61. EL TARSALLA POLICE POST: 35 TENTS 10 TRUCKS.

62. SAHL MAKHNA MILITARY CAMP: APPROXIMATELY 40 VEHICLES,  
APPROXIMATELY 200 TENTS, INCOMPLETE INFORMATION.

LEBANON:

63. METULLA AIRFIELD: NO AIRCRAFT OR ACTIVITY.

SAUDI ARABIA:

64. WADI MARKAB MILITARY CAMP: 332 TENTS, 82 VEHICLES, 135 TRUCKS.

SYRIA

56. ALEppo AIRFIELD: 3 COACH/CRATE, 15 LIAISON TYPE.

66. DAMASCUS AIRFIELD: 9 FAGOT/FRESCO, 3 COACH/CRATE, 4 C-47, 2 HOUND, 1 C-54 TYPE, 1 UNIDENTIFIED TWIN ENGINE TRANSPORT.

67. DUMEIR AIRFIELD: 6 FAGOT/FRESCO, 1 UNIDENTIFIED SINGLE ENGINE STRAIGHT WING AIRCRAFT.

68. RASIN EL ABOUD: 1 SAILPLANE, NO OTHER AIRCRAFT OR ACTIVITY.

69. SAHL ES SAHRA AIRFIELD: NO AIRCRAFT, 18 TRUCKS ACROSS ROAD FROM AIRFIELD.

70. SAYGAL AIRFIELD: LOCATED APPROXIMATELY 3338N, 3709E; ROLLED SAND SURFACE APPROXIMATELY 8400 FEET BY 170 FEET WITH OUTLINE BOUNDARY MARKERS, NO AIRCRAFT OR ACTIVITY.

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71. NO AIRCRAFT OR ACTIVITY AT THE FOLLOWING AIRFIELDS: AFISSE NORTH, PALMYRA.

72. DAMASCUS MILITARY CAMP NORTH NORTHEAST: ESTIMATED 15 VEHICLES.

73. DAMASCUS MILITARY DEPOT: NO SIGNIFICANT CHANGE SINCE [REDACTED]

74. DAMASCUS PORTABLE AMMO STORAGE AREA: UNIDENTIFIED OPEN STORAGE.

75. DUMEIR MILITARY INSTALLATION: 23 VEHICLES.

76. LATAKIA PORT AND CITY AREA: 18 FREIGHTERS, 5 TANKER, 1 POSSIBLE PC, 3 LCT, NUMEROUS SMALL CRAFT. CITY AREA NORMAL.

77. QATANA MILITARY INSTALLATION: 10 TANKS, 20 POSSIBLE TANKS, 26 TRUCKS, 22 VEHICLES.

78. NO UNUSUAL ACTIVITY REPORTED IN THE FOLLOWING AREAS:  
AREA FROM 3555N, 3638E TO 3548N, 3619E; DUMA AREA; RESAFE AREA; ROAD FROM DAMASCUS TO 3347N, 3742E; LATAKIA TO A POINT 20 NM NORTH ALONG THE COAST.

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